JAPAN MAY HELP

Russia Would Allow Free Hand in East Mikado.

Alliance Between Two Countries Now Seems Positive.

MAY EVEN SEND TROOPS SOON

Publicists Go So Far as to Fight Germans Directly.

Japs Have No Little Interest in Dardanelles.

Cologne, Aug. 23.—Although almost nothing has been heard recently of the Anglo-Japanese alliance, in existence since 1902, since the conquest of Kian-chau and the pursuit, success-ful in the end of the German East Asiatic squadron, and although even the former French Premier Clemen-cean's cries for Japanese ald on the European battlefield have long died out, the relations of Japan to the al-lied western powers have grown no-ticeably cooler in consequence of her selfish actions in China, and a closer relation between Japan and Russia seems to have been cropping up re-

The Japanese, who dere desirous first of all of seizing the trade in costern Siberia which had hitherto been in German hands, by their readiness in meeting the obligations of their alliance and by even going beyond that enabled Russia to withdraw all her troops from Siberia. The Japanese saw with unconcealed joy Russian policy transferring its activities more and more to the near easi toward the greatly desired Dardanelles, for they hope Russia's old longing for an ice free harbor will finally be satisfied in Europe, which would mean a relief from the Russian pressure in east Asia.

Japan's Interest in Dardanelles.
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Japan's Interest in Dardanelles.

For this reason the defeats of the Russians by the central powers and the failure of the attacks of the western powers in the fight for the Dardanelles certainly were a disappointment to them. It remains to be seen whether they will eventually come to the aid of the Pussians, as the latter hope, so that they may lay their hands on the exit of the Mediterranean.

When it was seen that the ends gained by the Japanese policy in China were very comprehensive the Japanese ress began a propaganda for a Russo-Japanese alliance. The semiofficial press wishes the alliance to be concluded after the war, but most of the other papers demand the

most of the other papers demand the immediate formal conclusion of the alliance, which exists already in real-

POOR OLD KANSAS

| Description administration could take out insur-ance if the money was furnished

77 AMERICANS PERILED Greenwood County Holds the Record

Horse Tenders from United States Safely Off Torpedoed Erskine,

DEATHS AND FUNERALS

John Shick, age 63, died last night at his home, 101 Taylor street. The funeral will be held at 4 o'clock Tues-day afternoon at Penwell's chapel, In-terment in Mount Hope cemetery.

Victor N. Anderson, age 47, died Sunday at his home, 326 Orchard ave-nue. The funeral will be held at 13 o'clock Wednesday morning at Pen-well's chapel. Interment in Mount Hope cemetery.

Florence Greer, age 44. died Sunday at St. Francis hospital. Funeral arrangements will be made later. Miss Greer is a daughter of Mrs. C. H. Brown and a sister of Mrs. J. W. Greer was a daughter of Mrs. C. H. for thirty years. for thirty years.

Wilson Discusses Cotton. Wilson Discusses Cotton.

Washington, Aug. 23.—Plans for belping the cotton situation in the south were discussed today by President Wilson with P. G. Harding of the federal reserve beard, who has investigated the cotton question thoroughly. They also discussed a protest to Great Britain against cotton contraband.

ROLL STOCKINGS SEEN ON BROADWAY



CITY LAW

Ordinance Covers 90 Typewritten Pages-Mostly Figures,

A city ordinance so long that it required four hours for Miss Etta Co- same experience. alliance, which exists already in reality. Eminent Japanese publicists even go so far in the acknowledgment of Japanese that they offer to send Japanese troops to fight against Germany.

PARSAS

No Politics, Says House,

Mayor House in casting his vote on final passage of the ordinance said:

"I had dreamed when this matter first came up for consideration that they offer to send Japanese the ordinance, and Miss Blanche Bates, stenographer in the office of Mayor House, worked three days in proportions it

IT LEADS IN TWINS

London. Aug. 23.—There were seventy-seven Americans in the crew of the steamer Baron Erskine which was sunk by a German submarine last week. The Americans, who were horse tenders, were landed safely with the rest of the crew. and eighteen years in that county. So far as is known there is no other county in the state that can match up with Greenwood when it comes to

alsing twins, Charles Irwin Thompson died Saturday at the home of his brother, W. A. L. Thompson. The funeral was held this morning at the residence, 501 Harrison street. Interment in Topeka cemetery.

Arthur Kristian Freel, age 10, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Freel, died at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. Mary Norwood, 308 Branner street, Sunday morning. The funeral will be held at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at Penwell's chapel, Interment in Topeka cemetery.

The funeral of B. F. (2019).

Weekly Book 50. For eaphony in names Greenwood county seems to be among the leaders. Perhaps it is because there are

The funeral of B. F. Collins, who died last Saturday, was held at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon at Penwell's August 19, as reported to Bradstreet's, agchapel. The body was sent to Belvidere, Ill., for interment,

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Topeka Newspaperman Appointed Instructor in Industrial Journalism.

Frank L. Snow, for the last six years a reporter with the State Jour-nal in Topeka, has been appointed in-structor in industrial journalism at the Kansas State Agricultural college in Manhattan, effective September 1 according to an announcement today by President Waters of the institution cently by the resignation of William

Frank Snow is a son of Dr. F. H Snow, who for years was widely known as chancellor of the Univer-sity of Kansas and whose scientific shown as chancellor of the University of Kansus and whose scientific investigations are of world renown. Snow's newspaper experience began in Rhodesia, South Africa, on the Rhodesia Herald in 1904. He wrote a series of agricultural articles in South Africa during the ensuling two South Africa during the ensuing two years and paved the way for his new position in Kansas.

Six years ago Snow came to the State Journal. In that time he has writien excellent feature matter of agricultural, industrial and local news interest. He has been the author of scores of articles on Shawnez county and Kansas agriculture which have been considered of leading authority Owing to his experiences in South Africa and his travels in Europe he has been in demand in the public schools and before local societies as a

business men and men of note genera throughout the state. His work has ments. been watched by the department of industrial journalism of the state agri-cultural college and his services were packages intended for prisoners also procured immediately upon the resident. been watched by the department of procured immediately upon the resignation of Sumner. Prof. N. A. Crawford, well known in Topeka heads

CITY HALL BUDGET

[Continued from Page One.] age was taken both Newland and er voted no, and the ordinance adopted by a majority of one, and Commissioner Mayor House and Commissioners
Tandy and Wasson voting in the affirmative. Both Porter and Newland
insisted before the meeting was called
to order that they had been given no
opportunity to see the ordinance nor
had they been informed of what the other three members of the commis-

ion had agreed upon.
"After I learned that the mayor "After I learned that the mayor and Commissioners Tandy and Wasson had decided what the commission would do I went to Wasson but he declined to show me the budget he and the other two members of the commission had agreed upon," said Porter. Newland says he encountered the same experience.

county clerk a copy of the ordinance making the levy with proof of its pub-lication. This must be done not later lication. This m

Hefore the ordinance was formally three months.

The Missouri Pacific is sued for \$2,presented Wasson read from a schedule the lump sums which had been apportioned to each of the departments. These were formally adopted to be embodied in the ordinance bridge.

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probably an error due to the haste which W. H. Wasson, city commis-oner of finance, prepared the bud-t. Without having time to go into the matter Wasson today insisted the

figures are correct **AIM AT CANADIANS**

Germans to Wreak Vengeance on Civilians and Soldiers.

Plan Reprisals Following Reports From Amherst Camp.

and insultary factory building had been punished for attempted escape and less serious infractions of the rules, by confinement in a brick oven the German authorities are now plan-ning retaliations against Canadians both soldiers and civilians imprisoned here. Approximately 700 Germans are now intered at Amherst.

The German authorities, who freely admit that the conditions under which implicioned Germans are living in England and her colonies are generally good, were at first loth lieve the Amherst reports. plaints continued to multiply, ever, alleging that dirt and di schools and speaker and entertainer.

Show as a reporter in Topeka has attracted a valuable acquaintance with lack of proper sanitary measures and lack of proper sanitary measures and generally unbearable flying arrangements.

are alleged.

Even the letter of complaint praise the attitude and conduct of individual Canadian officers, placing the blame or the conditions complained of upon those higher up.

Officials here have secured a recan consul at Monckton, New Bruns wick, announcing an improvement re cently in some conditions at Amhersti but fresh letters have convinced then that fundamental alterations are nec

Unted States embassy investigators have pronounced camps where Canadians are imprisoned in Germany as good. An Associated Press corresponvisited Goettinger dian soldiers are confined, and found conditions apparently satisfactory,

HOLD FIRST MEETING

to Convene in Topeka.

The Kansas State Association of Com-The Kansas State Association of Commercial clubs will meet at the local Commercial club unrices Tue-day, August 31, More than two bindired Kansas commercial club executives have been notified of the meeting and arged to attend. The first meeting for temporary organization was held earlier in the season when a number of prominent club officials from various points in the state met in Topeka.

Parks, the owner of a passenger barge operating between Kansas City and points down the Missouri river. Greenwood County Holds the Record in State of Kansas.

First in twins is the distinction Greenwood county holds in the state. Records in the office of J. C. Mohier, secretary of agriculture, in connection with the taking of the decennial consults show that there are forty sets of twins between the ages of one month and cuthteen years in that county. So

ule the lump sums which had been agreed upon by the ruling three to be apportioned to each of the departments. There is sued for \$2.5.

Mrs. Parks also demands that the apportioned to each of the departments. excursion barge to pass under the

BATTLERS AT ZUBRUGGE

Berlin Reports 40 Warships Ran Before Artiflery Fire.

Berlin, Aug. 23.—Forty warships arrived at the Zubrugge this merning. but steamed away after naving been bombarded by our coast artillery, said an official statement from the war department this afternoon



THE SEQUEL. What succeeds that tired feeling? That fired feeling.

PARIS FASHION HINT



skirt. Waist and lower half of sleeves laced with taffeta silk finished off with tassels. Standing collar faced with white satin-

BOBS UP AND DOWN

Automobile License Business Is Affeeted by the Weather,

The department of automobile lithe department of automobile incenses in the secretary of state's office is a regular barometer for Kansas, according to Curtis Myers, who has charge of the department. When the weather is good all over the state the number of licenses received at the state house Jumps up a hundred or more a day, but when the weather is bad and the auto owners can't get out the license list slumps. Between 300 and 500 requests for licenses are being received every day and up to noon today 61,200 licenses had been issued. This is a thousand more than were issued last year.

"By night we should be 2,000 over last year's figures," said Mr. Myers this morning. "Not all of these cars are new ones, however, I estimate."

are new ones, however. that about 25 per cent of the licenses issued are for new cars. The rest are for second hand autos."

COSTS LESS THAN \$200

Annual Expense of Maintaining an Inmate at Epileptic Hospital.

The annual report of the state hospital for epileptics at Parsons, Kan., filed today with the state board of state string quartette will furnish must control shows that \$104.288.65 was expended during the year 1914-15 in expended during the year 1914-15 in maintaining the institution. The report shows that 535 patients were kept at the hospital during the year and that the per capita cost was \$203.75 and deducting fees received from various sources the per capita cost is figured at \$195.89. This is what it costs the taxpayers to keep one the age of fourteen years to operate a what it costs the taxpayers to keep one person in the Institution for a year.

Some interesting statistics embodied in the report show that in the number of patients admitted there are fourteen formers, thirteen students, and thirteen who claim no occupation. The other common occupations furnish about an average number of three. The report shows that there has been but one miner as an inmate of the institution.

The deep of fourteen years to operate a motor propelled vehicle.

One regular and six special meetings of the city commission were held today. Three of the special meetings were to take action on small sewer districts, the new white way called for another and the widening of King the institution.

HE WAS TOO LATE

Abandonment of Drug Habit Proves Fatal to C. A. McDowell,

C. A. McDowell, at one time a ball player on the Portland team in the Pacific Coast league, died Sunday morning at the city jail while taking treatment for the morphine habit. McDowell came to the jail and began treatment for the drug habit Wednes-

McDowell told the police that he equired the habit on the Pacific coast. W. A. A. Morris of McPherson, a relative of the man, came to this McPherson for burial.

According to Dr. A. B. Jeffrey, who was treating McDowell, he tried the cure for the habit too late.

JUST ON PRINCIPLE

Chief Parsons Will Arrest All Doubt-ful Characters at Fair Time,

Persons who expect to find easy but Persons who expect to find easy but illegitimate pickings in Topeka during the week of the free state fair, are narboring great delusions, according to Harvey Parsons, chief of police.

Light fingered g. ntl. men and other followers of shady professions have already headed toward this city and not a few of them have already arrived only to be sent on their way by the police. Parsons announces his intentions of varging "about a carload of 'em" a short time before the gates opene. opene.
"If we can't get anything on them ye'll get them on geenral principles, say the police.

Boller Explosion Kills Two. Whatton, Kan., Aug. 23.—Two men were killed in an explosion of a boller at a saw mill here today. They are Green Burgess, owner of the mill, and Clinger Franklin, an employee.

David Eiseman Dead.

St. Louia, Aug. 23.—David Eiseman, president of a large wholesale dry goods house, died hast night on a train shortly after leaving Charlevoix, Mich., for St. Louis. He was an active clubman and prominent in Jewish philanthropic work.

The Willards Beat Holton. Emmett, Kan., Aug. 23.—The Emmett Willards defeated Holton here Sunday by a score of 7 to 6. Loose fielding and heavy hitting were the Big Money for a Few Minutes of Your Time —Just for Little Headwork and Planning

In 15 minutes you can easily plan your needs of standard staple groceries for a couple of weeks or a month and the saving you can realize by buying them all at once at Fraser Bros. will be BIG PAY FOR YOUR TIME.

20 lbs. SUGAR for \$1 or 48 lbs. Flour \$1.44 with \$4.00 worth of other

This Store Will Be Closed Wednesday, August 25 So Order Early Tomorrow

Peaches, Finest Albertas, best yet, bu. basket\$1.25 Blue Plums, square basket 30¢: 4 basket crate\$1.10 Jelly Grapes, nice clean fruit in half bu. baskets, lb. 2¢

Soap, yellow, 10 large White Soap, 8 large bars 25¢

Butter—Best creamery, plain wrap-ped; this butter has given abso-lute satisfaction; pound 262

Wisconsin Cheese, white, 2 Canned Peas-16c grade, 1 cans 24c Ivory Soap, 10c bars, 2 for 15c Pink Salmon-cans regularly soid at 1245c, price special, can, uc Flour—"The Regal:" other stores are asking more money, 48-1b. ar cured bacon; 4-th. piec

Cocoa, bulk, fresh, lb. . . . 26c (By the Ham.)

Lemons, medium size doz....12e Breakfast Food, 6-lb, sack....25c (A prepared wheat cereal.) Sunbright Cleanser—A 10e value

Bismarck Pure Preserves, large 28



LOCAL MENTION.

Ladies of the G. A. R. will held a special meeting at 2:30 Tuesday after-noon, August 24, at Lincoln Post hall. Have your plane tuned and repaired by Jenkins' factory expert All work guarnatecd. Phone 1448—Adv.

Bids for the construction of a double span concrete tridge to cost or tween \$5,000 and \$7,000 to be con structed over the Wakerusa near Aucommissioners this afternoon.

A suit for divorce was filed this afternoon in the district court by Pearl L. Busey against John Busey because It will payyou to get our estimate on

that lumber bill. Phone J. B. Whelan & Co., 711 E. 4th.—Adv. The police were notified this afternoon to be on the lockout for L. Han-cock, age 68, who is wanted at Wichi-ta on a charge.

The annual picnic of the Local Retail Grocers association will be held August 25 at Gage Park. Practically all grocery stores of the city will be closed on that date. The pienic will consume the entire day and will be attended by the grocers and their fare ilies. A basket dinner will be one of the features of the program. Other numbers on the program will be an

nounced later. A subscription dance will be given at Mac Rae's hall tenight. The Obio

street was a fifth special meeting, and the levying of assessments to pay for new sidewalks called for a sixth.

Stillonthejob.

THE WEATHER RECORD.

Following are observations of the United States weather bureau for the twenty-four hours ending at 7 o'clock this morning:

Stations in Kansas,

Stations—High, Low, Rain. Dodge City Dresden Oresden

Dresden

Eureka

Fort Scott

Joodland Innover

Corpus Christi,
Denver, Colo....
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El Paso, Tex...
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Galveston, Tex.
Havre, Mont.
Huron, S. D.
Jacksonwille, Fla.
Kansas City, Mo.
Little Rock, Ark.
Los Angeles, Cal.
Moorehead, Minn.
New Orleans, La.
New York, N. Y.
North Platte, Neb
Oklahonn, Okla.
Omahn, Neb.
Phoenis, Ariz.
Pittsburg, Fa.
St. Joseph, Mo.
St. Louis, Mo.
Salt Lake, Ulah.
San Francisco, Calif.
Senttle, Wash.
Sheridan, Wyo.
Springfield, Ill.
Swift Current, Sas.
Toledo, Ohio.
Washington, D. C.
Winnepeg, Man.

IS FILED IN

Ancillary Bill in the Missouri Pacific Receivership.

The ancillary bill in the Missouri All orders that pertain to its prop-Pacific receivership case was filed crty in Kennas are valid when issued today with Morton Albaugh, clerk of from the court in St. Louis.

Beef

Loin Steaks

Lima Beans

Fresh hulled

baskets.....10c

Peaches

Oranges Medium size per dozen.....18c

Store will be closed all Wednesday, August 25. Account Grocers' Pic-

Phone 4190 900 North Kan. Ave. **MORNS & MYERS**



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month amounts to \$182.00 in 10 years. \$5.00 a month amounts to \$127.00 in By this method you will soon be able to make the first payment on a home. Then you can get a lonn on the home and pay it off monthly.

Money to loan on real estate. Capitol Building & Loan Ass'n 534 Kansas Avenue

the United States district court. Fed-

the United States district court. Federal Judge Halph Campbell of Oklahoma, who was in Topeka today, signed the order.

This bill is being filed in every state where the Missouri Pacific operates, The order is for the purpose of placing the property of the road in the hands of the court at St. Louis, giving the court and its receiver, B. F. Bush, full power over the Missouri Pacific lines in this federal district.

All orders that pertain to its mon-